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**Please Note: New vendors and subcontractors must supply all required paperwork (Appendix 1, Financial Statement, and 3 Reference Letters) and must register in the Online Representations and Certifications Application (ORCA). In addition, all vendors must also be registered in the CCR, within 48 hours after bid opening or your company may be considered non-responsive.**

FV-310

Fruit and Vegetable Programs

Date Issued: August 4, 2007

**Frozen Potatoes, Announcement FV-310, Invitation 027**

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell frozen potato product as indicated below and per the Announcement for distribution to child nutrition and other domestic food assistance programs. Offers are due by **1 p.m., Central time, Wednesday September 19, 2007**. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, October 12, 2007. Deliveries are to be made from November 16, 2007 through April 15, 2008.

Offers are invited from the trade for:

Potatoes, Wedge, Frozen	6/5 lb pkg	118,800 cases
Potatoes, Fries, Oven, Frozen	6/5 lb pkg	38,280 cases

All prime vendors are reminded that they are prohibited from subcontracting with companies or individuals that have been suspended or debarred.

All invitations with orders for the state of New York must have the pack date stamped on the outside of each carton. The pack date should be annotated as per the following example: (05/01/2003). Orders for the state of New York requiring the special marking will be indicated by (\*\*). This applies to New York orders "Only," if and when they appear on an invitation.

Bids must be submitted electronically via the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) on the internet. Offerors who submit bids using other than DEBES, will be deemed non-responsive. Offeror must be assigned a Logon ID by USDA to access the site. The Internet address is: <http://pcsd.usda.gov/debes> which translates into a connection of <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?> Once connected, follow the online procedures. A "HELP" button provides detailed instructions for using the system or call 202-720-4517 for assistance.



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**Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract.** Inquiries about Announcement FV-301, Appendix-1, the Commodity Specification for Frozen Fruit dated April 2004, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/ Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0239, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, DC 20250-9410, telephone (202) 720-4517. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the World Wide Web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

Purchases will be made on a delivered to destination basis, subject to Announcement FV-301, to the listed locations. Delivery by trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

Split shipments are indicated by a single asterisk.

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 PACK SIZE : 40 6/5 LB PKG

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/07 - 11/30/07					
001	ROCKY HILL	CT	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
002	CHICOPEE	MA	TRUCK ONLY	660	_____
	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	660	_____
003	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
004	WILMINGTON	MA		1,320	_____
005	CHICOPEE	MA	TRUCK ONLY	660	_____
	WILMINGTON	MA		660	_____
006	BINGHAMTON	NY		1,320	_____ **
007	BUFFALO	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____ **
008	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____ **
009	CHEEKTOWAGA	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____ **
010	HALFMOON	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____ **
011	HOLLEY	NY		1,320	_____ **
012	HALFMOON	NY	TRUCK ONLY	990	_____ **
	MILTON	NY	TRUCK ONLY	330	_____
013	MALONE	NY	TRUCK ONLY	660	_____ **
	YORKVILLE	NY	TRUCK ONLY	660	_____
014	LAUREL	MD	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
015	BALTIMORE	MD		945	_____
	POCOMOKE CITY	MD	TRUCK ONLY	375	_____
016	NEWARK	NJ	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____

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017	ALTOONA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
018	COAL TOWNSHIP	PA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
019	PHILADELPHIA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
020	WILKES-BARRE	PA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
021	MOBILE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	710	_____
	WINTER HAVEN	FL		610	_____
022	LAKELAND	FL	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
023	LARGO	FL	TRUCK ONLY	330	_____
	WINTER HAVEN	FL		990	_____
024	LARGO	FL	TRUCK ONLY	330	_____
	MOBILE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	355	_____
	WINTER HAVEN	FL		635	_____
025	MIAMI PLANTATIO	FL		1,320	_____
026	AMERICUS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
027	ATLANTA	GA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
028	CLEVELAND	GA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
029	COLLEGE PARK	GA		660	_____
	CONYERS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	660	_____
030	DOUGLAS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
031	DOUGLASVILLE	GA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
032	FAIRBURN	GA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____

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033	DOUGLAS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	660	_____
	MACON	GA	TRUCK ONLY	330	_____
	VALDOSTA	GA	TRUCK ONLY	330	_____
034	CREEDMOOR	NC	TRUCK ONLY	710	_____
	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	610	_____
035	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
036	FORT MILL	SC	TRUCK ONLY	239	_____
	LEXINGTON	SC		1,081	_____
037	FORT MILL	SC	TRUCK ONLY	309	_____
	LEXINGTON	SC		1,011	_____
038	LOUISVILLE	TN	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
039	BERKELEY	IL	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
040	GRAND RAPIDS	MI	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
041	NEWPORT	MN		1,320	_____
042	ST PAUL	MN	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
043	COLUMBUS	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
044	DARIEN	WI		1,320	_____
045	DARIEN	WI		660	_____
	EAU CLAIRE	WI		660	_____
046	EAU CLAIRE	WI		1,320	_____
047	JACKSON	WI	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____

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048	MCALESTER	OK		1,320	_____
049	GRAND PRAIRIE	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
050	HOUSTON	TX		1,320	_____
051	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
052	PUEBLO WEST	CO	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
053	LINCOLN	NE		990	_____
	OMAHA	NE	TRUCK ONLY	330	_____
054	PHOENIX	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
055	LONG BEACH	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
056	PICO RIVERA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
057	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/07 - 12/15/07					
058	ROCKY HILL	CT	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
059	BINGHAMTON	NY		1,320	_____ **
060	HOLLEY	NY		1,320	_____ **
061	YORKVILLE	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____ **
062	CHARLESTON	WV		1,320	_____
063	CREEDMOOR	NC	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____

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DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/07 - 12/15/07					
064	BERKELEY	IL	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
065	BLOOMINGTON	IN	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
066	FORT WAYNE	IN	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
067	LOGANSPOUT	IN		1,320	_____
068	VINCENNES	IN	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
069	KALAMAZOO	MI	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
070	LAS VEGAS	NV	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 01/01/08 - 01/15/08					
071	AUBURN	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____ **
072	CHEEKTOWAGA	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____ **
073	MILTON	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____ **
074	BIRMINGHAM	AL		1,320	_____
075	CALERA	AL	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
076	CLANTON	AL	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
077	SHEPERDSVILLE	KY	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
078	NEWPORT	MN		1,320	_____

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DELIVERY PERIOD 01/16/08 - 01/31/08					
079	HOLLEY	NY		1,320	_____**
080	CREEDMOOR	NC	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
081	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 02/01/08 - 02/15/08					
082	AUBURN	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____**
083	CHEEKTOWAGA	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____**
084	YORKVILLE	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____**
DELIVERY PERIOD 02/16/08 - 02/29/08					
085	MALONE	NY	TRUCK ONLY	660	_____**
	YORKVILLE	NY	TRUCK ONLY	660	
086	PHOENIX	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 03/01/08 - 03/15/08					
087	AUBURN	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____**
088	MILTON	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____**
089	DELAWARE CITY	DE	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____



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DELIVERY PERIOD 04/01/08 - 04/15/08					
090	MILTON	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	**

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 118,800

COMM TYPE : 20 POTATOES, FRIES, OVEN, FROZEN  
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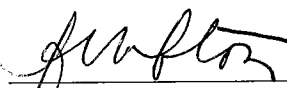
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091	ROCKY HILL	CT	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	
092	CHICOPEE	MA	TRUCK ONLY	660	
	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	660	
093	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	
094	WILMINGTON	MA		1,320	
095	CHICOPEE	MA	TRUCK ONLY	660	
	WILMINGTON	MA		660	
096	BROOKLYN	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	**
097	PLAINFIELD	VT	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	
098	FOREST HILL	MD	TRUCK ONLY	840	
	JESSUP	MD	TRUCK ONLY	480	
099	ALTOONA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	

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100	COAL TOWNSHIP	PA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
101	PHILADELPHIA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
102	WILKES-BARRE	PA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
103	MOBILE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	920	_____
	WINTER HAVEN	FL		400	_____
104	WINTER HAVEN	FL		1,320	_____
105	WINTER HAVEN	FL		1,320	_____
106	CREEDMOOR	NC	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
107	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
108	FORT MILL	SC	TRUCK ONLY	249	_____
	LEXINGTON	SC		1,071	_____
109	HOUSTON	TX		1,320	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/07 - 12/15/07					
110	ROCKY HILL	CT	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
111	HALFMOON	NY	TRUCK ONLY	330	_____ **
	MILTON	NY	TRUCK ONLY	990	_____
112	PUYALLUP	WA		1,320	_____
113	SPOKANE	WA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____

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DELIVERY PERIOD 01/01/08 - 01/15/08					
114	BIRMINGHAM	AL		1,320	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 01/16/08 - 01/31/08					
115	ALTOONA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
116	PHILADELPHIA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 02/01/08 - 02/15/08					
117	MILTON	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____ **
DELIVERY PERIOD 02/16/08 - 02/29/08					
118	CREEDMOOR	NC	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 03/01/08 - 03/15/08					
119	DELAWARE CITY	DE	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE				38,280	
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION				157,080	

  
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